

To whom it may  
concern:

I wish to lodge a  
formal complaint  
with the Commission  
about the abuse of  
the public airwaves  
underway by the  
Sinclair  
Broadcasting  
Company. Their  
decision to force  
all their affiliate  
stations to air an  
anti-Kerry  
documentary just  
days before a major  
national election is  
a clear violation of  
the spirit, if not  
the law, regarding  
use of the public  
airwaves.

Sinclair is  
obligated by law to  
serve the public  
interest. What they  
are broadcasting in  
the days ahead is  
not news in any  
believable sense of  
that word. It is not  
journalism. It is a  
blatant smear  
against one of the  
candidates for  
president in this  
election.

Their actions do not  
serve the public  
interest in getting  
fair and balanced  
information to help  
voters decide.  
Rather their actions  
serve a narrow and  
highly partisan  
point of view.

Sinclair's actions  
demonstrate how they  
are abusing their  
broadcast licenses  
around the country.  
I ask the commission  
to take action now  
to stop this abuse  
and punish the  
broadcasters who  
abuse their  
privilege and ignore  
their

responsibilities to  
the public.

Yours sincerely,

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